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In re Application of: )  
Randy Harris, ) Docket No.: 29195.8173US01  
Daniel J. Woodruff ) Semitool Number: P02-0008  
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Application No. 10/080,915 )  
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Filed: February 22, 2002 )  
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APPARATUS WITH PROCESSING )  
STATIONS FOR MANUALLY AND )  
AUTOMATICALLY PROCESSING )  
MICROELECTRONIC WORKPIECES )  
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FOR GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, the receipt, sufficiency and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, the undersigned do hereby:

SELL, ASSIGN AND TRANSFER to Semitool, Inc. (the "Assignee"), a corporation of Montana, having a place of business at 655 West Reserve Drive, Kalispell, Montana 59901, the entire right, title and interest for the United States and all foreign countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the application for United States Letters Patent, which has been executed by the undersigned concurrently herewith and is entitled "**APPARATUS WITH PROCESSING STATIONS FOR MANUALLY AND AUTOMATICALLY PROCESSING MICROELECTRONIC WORKPIECES**"; such application and all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for patent which have been or shall be filed in the United States and all foreign countries on any of such improvements; all original and reissued patents which have been or shall be issued in the United States and all foreign countries on such improvements; and specifically including the right to file foreign applications

under the provisions of any convention or treaty and claim priority based on such application in the United States of America;

AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST the issuing authority to issue any and all United States and foreign patents granted on such improvements to the Assignee;

WARRANT AND COVENANT that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been or will be made to others by the undersigned, and that the full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned;

COVENANT that, when requested and at the expense of the Assignee, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will execute all divisional, continuing, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all such improvements; execute all rightful oaths, declarations, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to the Assignee all facts known to the undersigned relating to such improvements and the history thereof; and generally do everything possible which the Assignee shall consider desirable for securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent protection for such improvements and for vesting title to such improvements in the Assignee;

TO BE BINDING on the heirs, assigns, representatives and successors of the undersigned and extend to the successors, assigns and nominees of the Assignee.

Randy Harris  
Randy Harris

Date: 2/25/02

STATE OF MONTANA)

County of Flathead) ss.

BEFORE ME, this 25 day of Feb, 2002 personally appeared the above-named individual, to me known to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

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Notary or Consular Officer Donna R. Pile  
My Commission Expires 3/20/04

Daniel J. Woodruff  
Daniel J. Woodruff

Date: 2/25/02

STATE OF MONTANA)

County of Flathead) ss.

BEFORE ME, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of Feb, 2002, personally appeared the above-named individual, to me known to be the person who is described in and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

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Notary or Consular Officer

My Commission Expires

Eric R. Pyle  
3/20/04